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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

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SERIAL NO.: 09/991,106

FILED: November 16, 2001

FOR: Composite Restraint System For
Securing Freight

ART UNIT: 3677

EXAMINER: J. Brittain

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231


Sir:

On December 20, 2002, a non-final Office Action (Paper No. 5) was mailed for the above-application. The present response is submitted to amend the claims and place the application in condition for allowance.

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